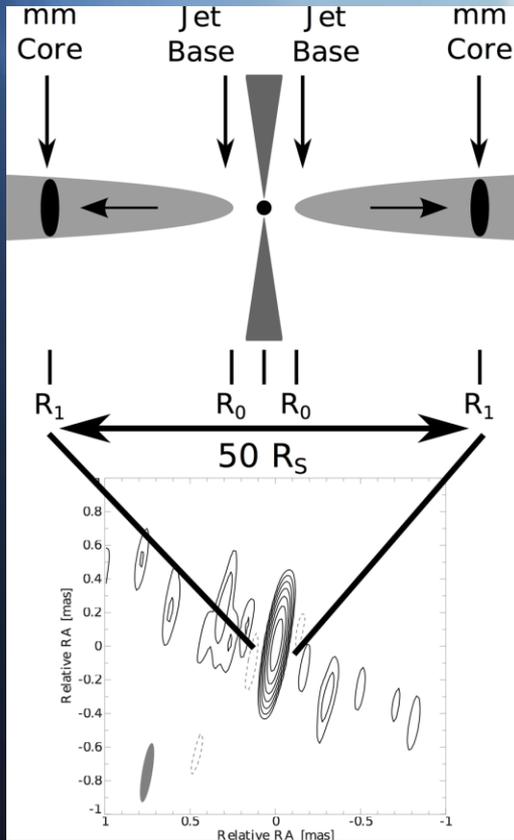


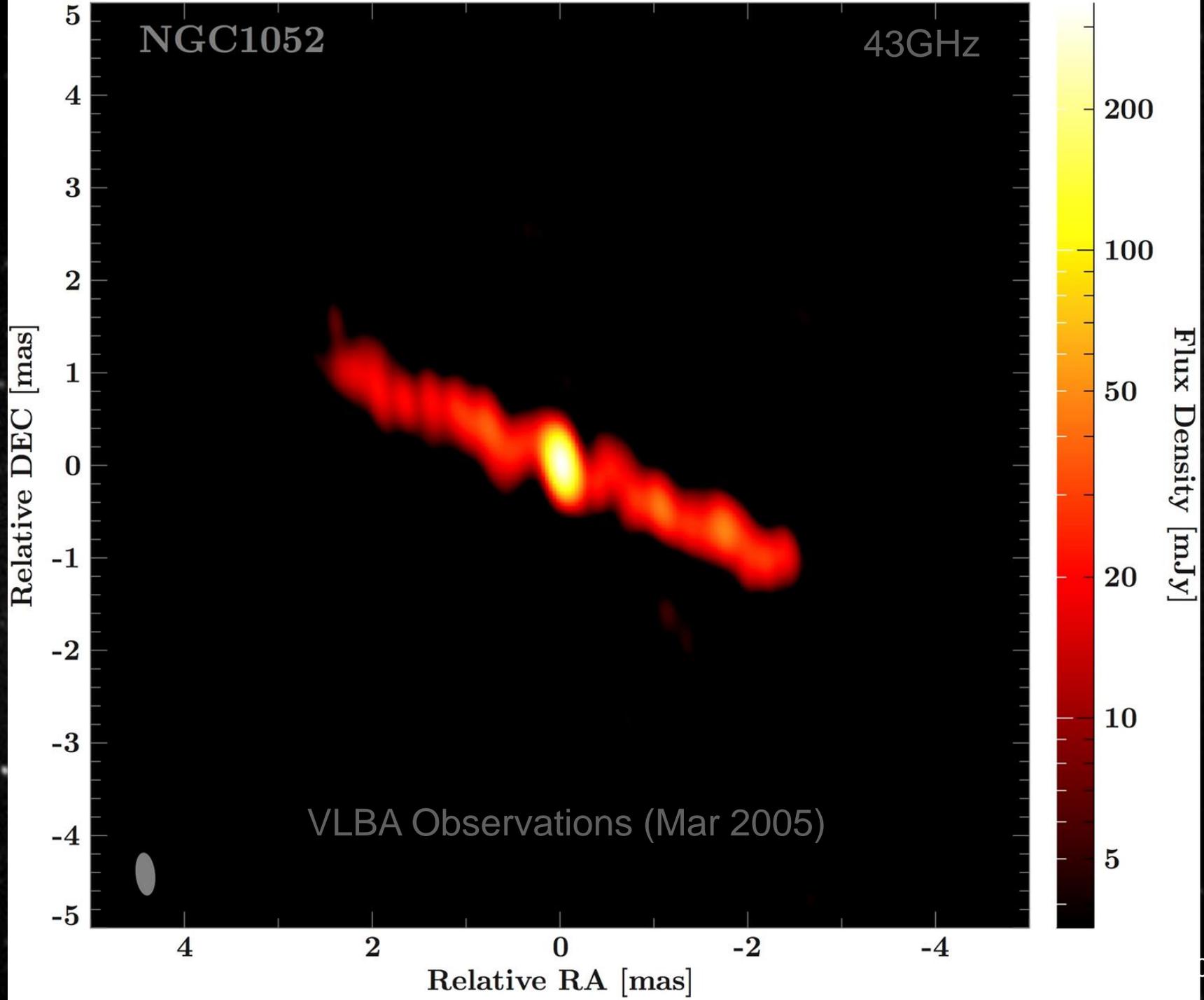
Resolving the Jet-Launching Region in NGC1052



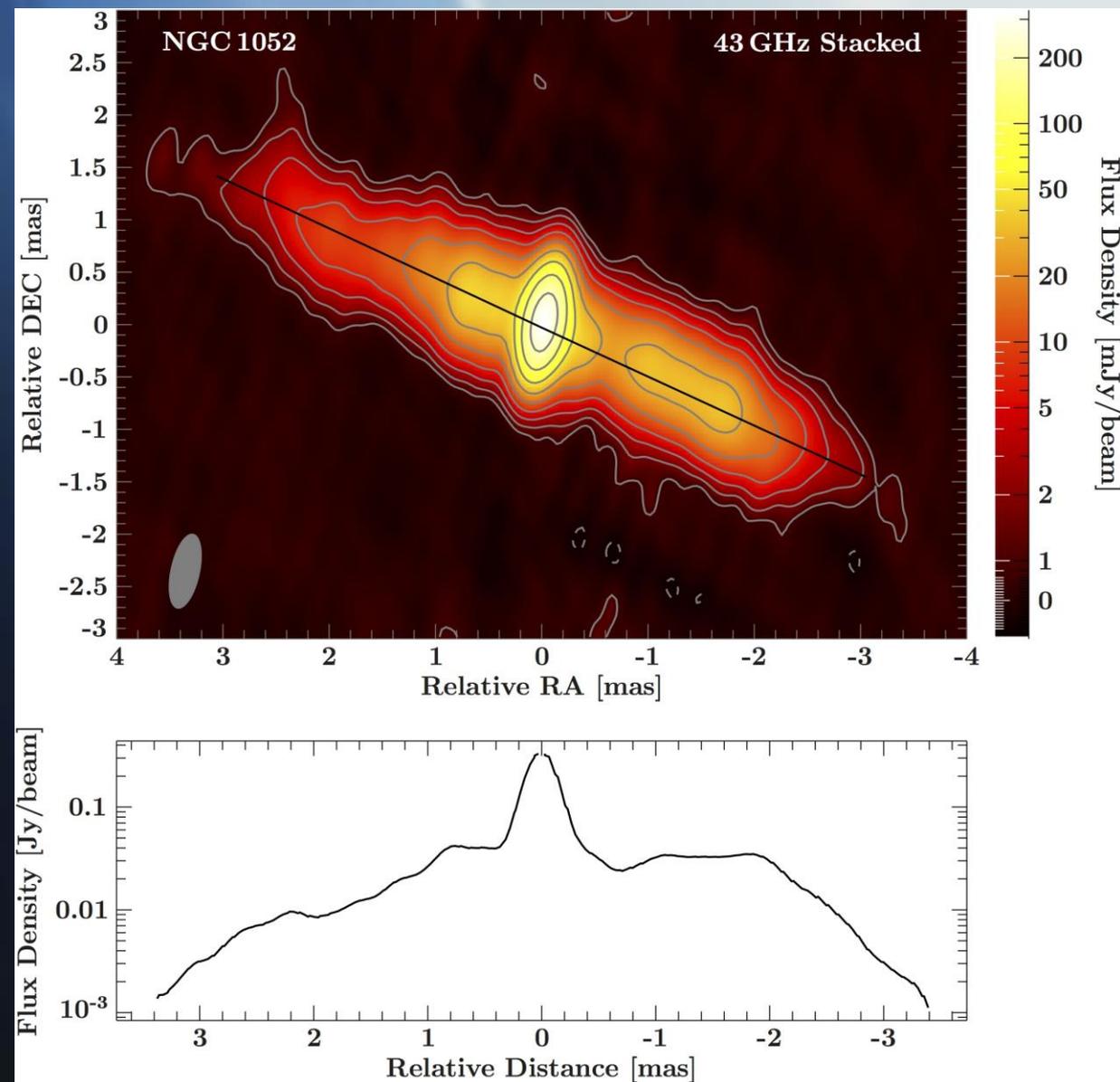
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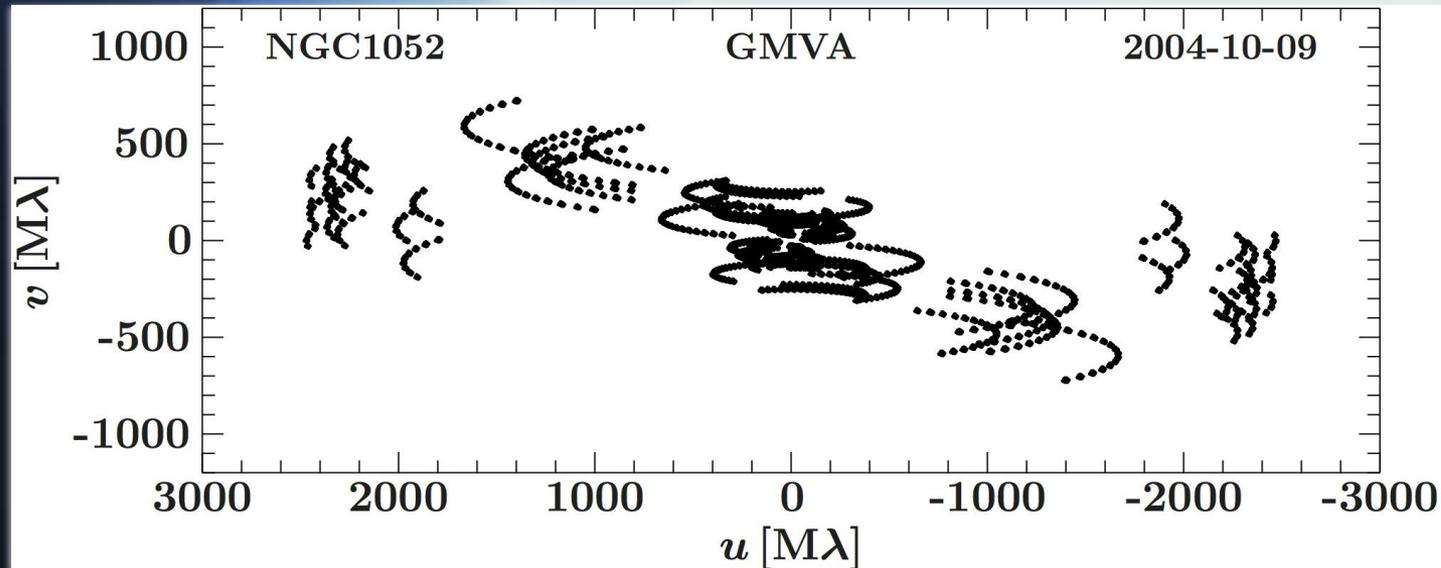
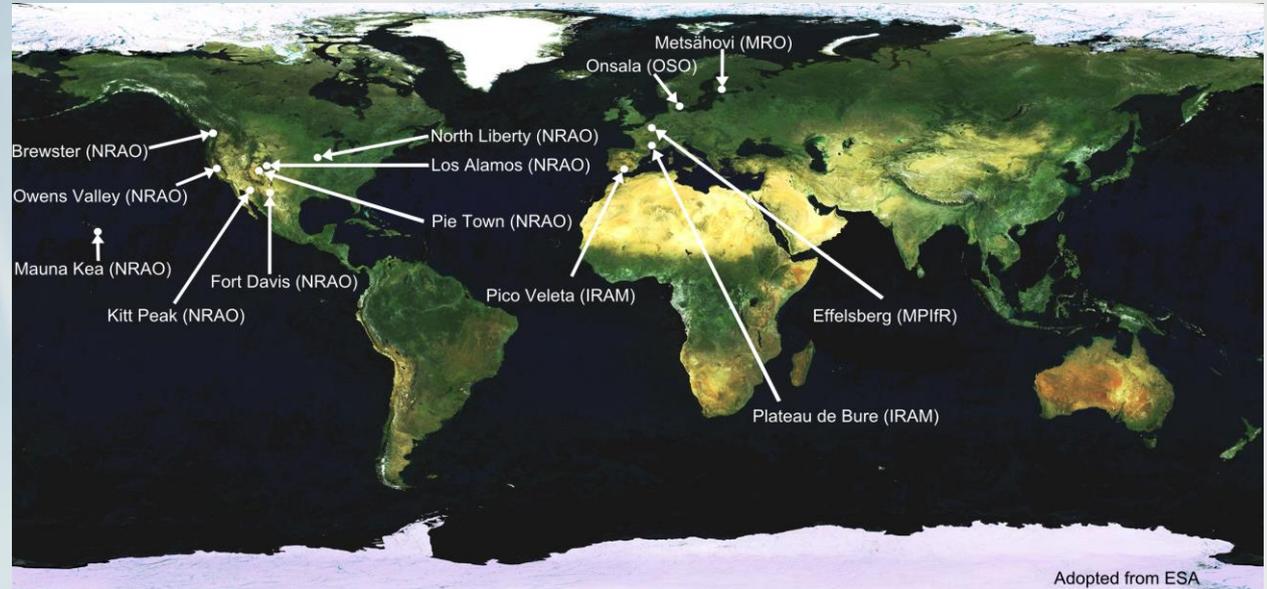
7mm VLBA Monitoring



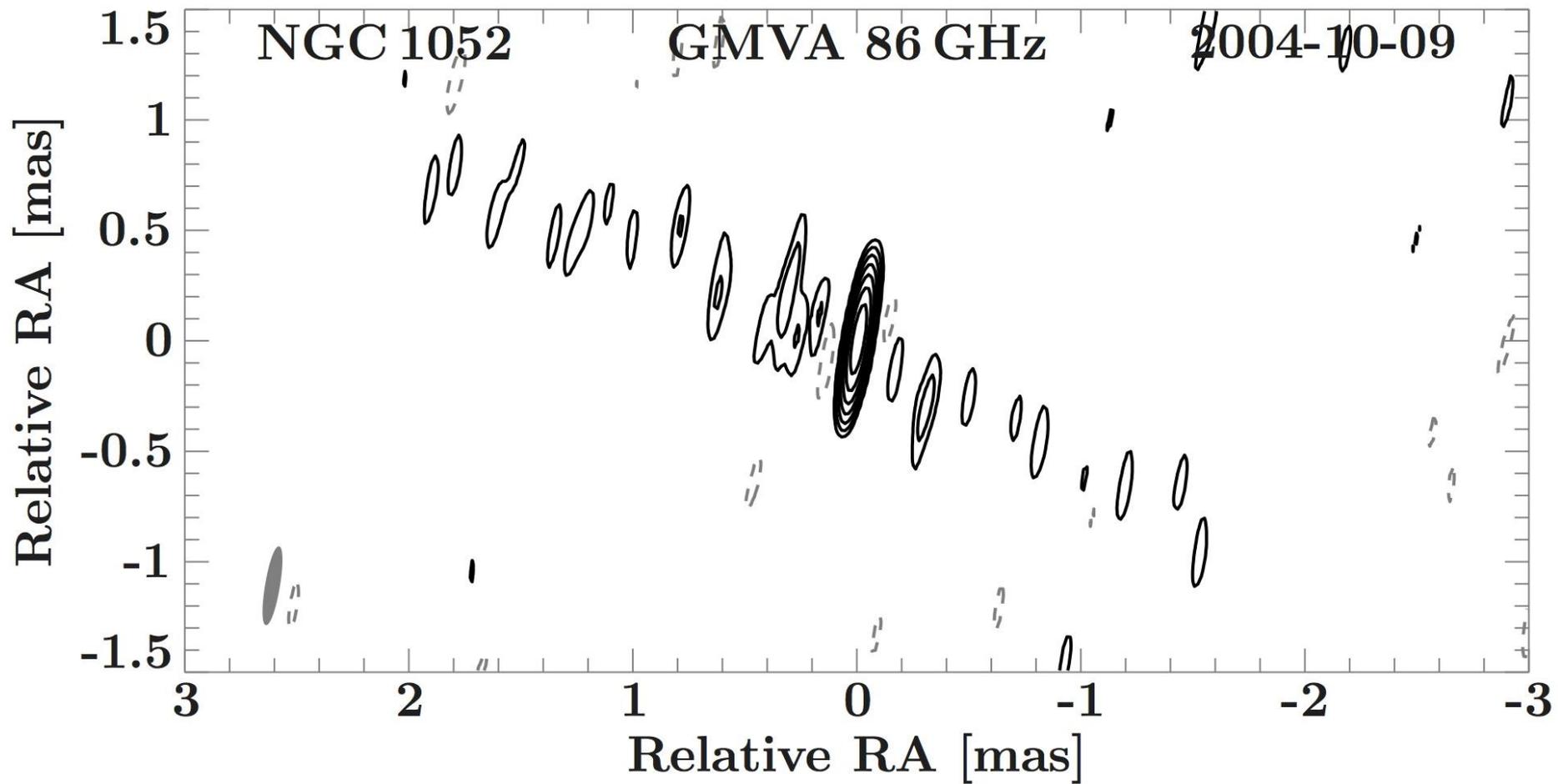
- Almost symmetric jet-counterjet structure over ~4 years
- Inclination angle close to 90°
- Asymmetries:
 - Bending, differential cooling, variable absorption? (Baczko et al., in prep)
- Persistent central core

3mm GMVA Observation (2004)

- 13 antennas
- 15 hours
- 8 sub-bands, 16MHz
- 512MBit/s

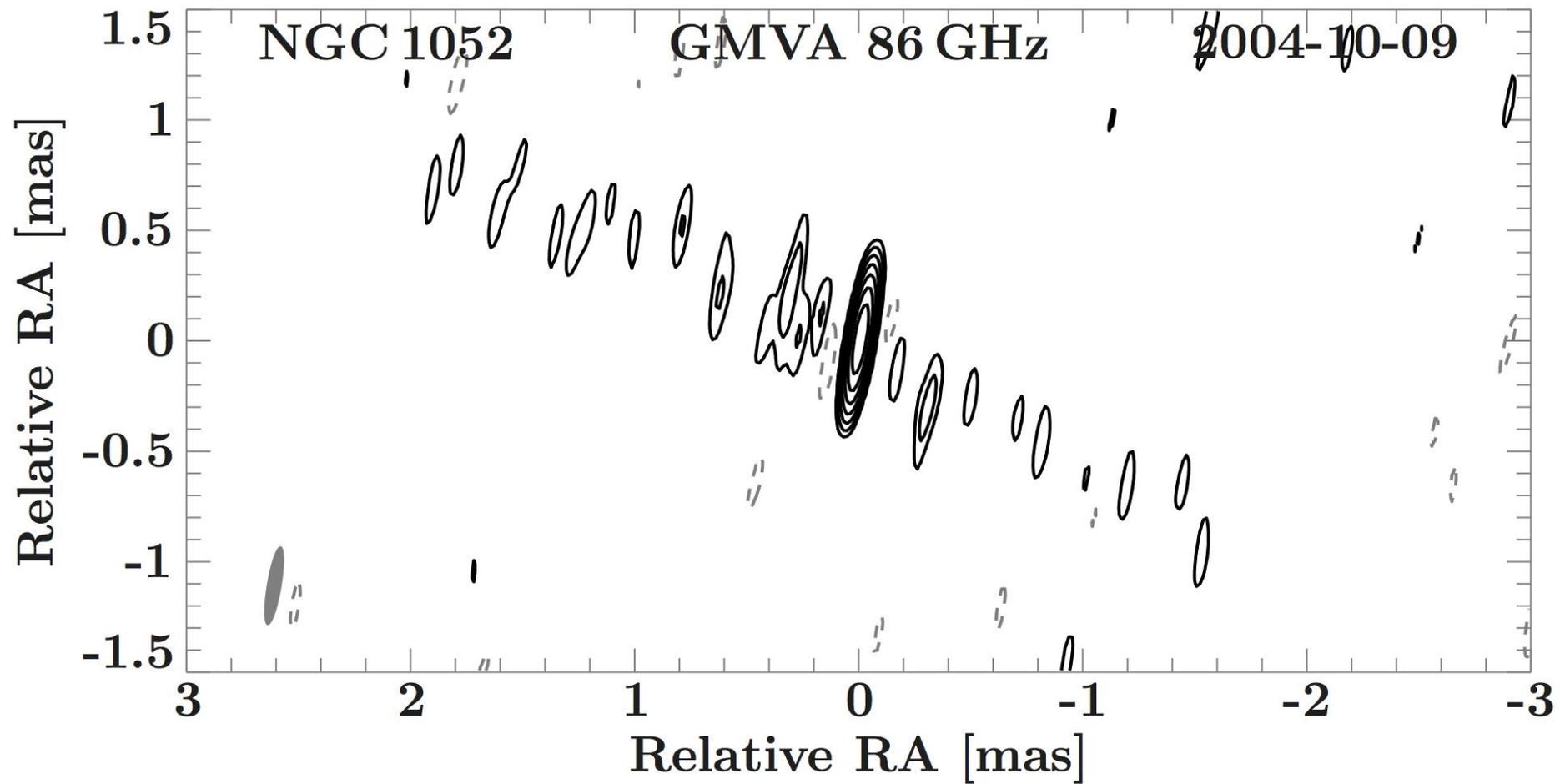


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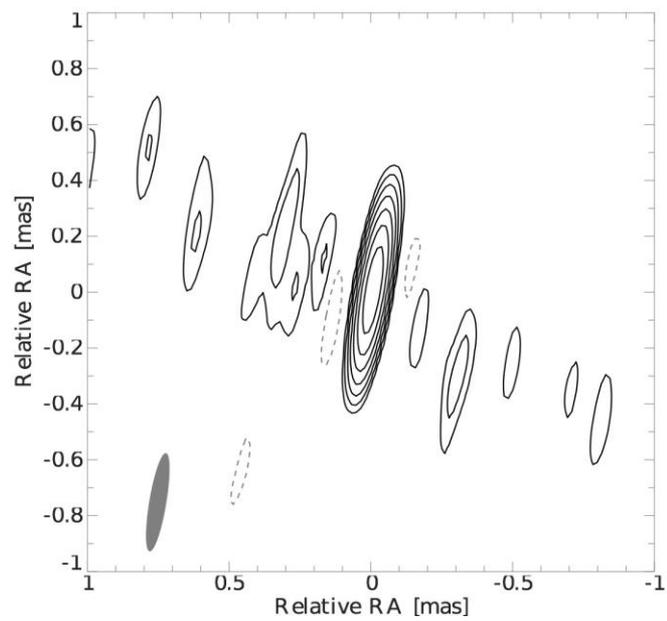
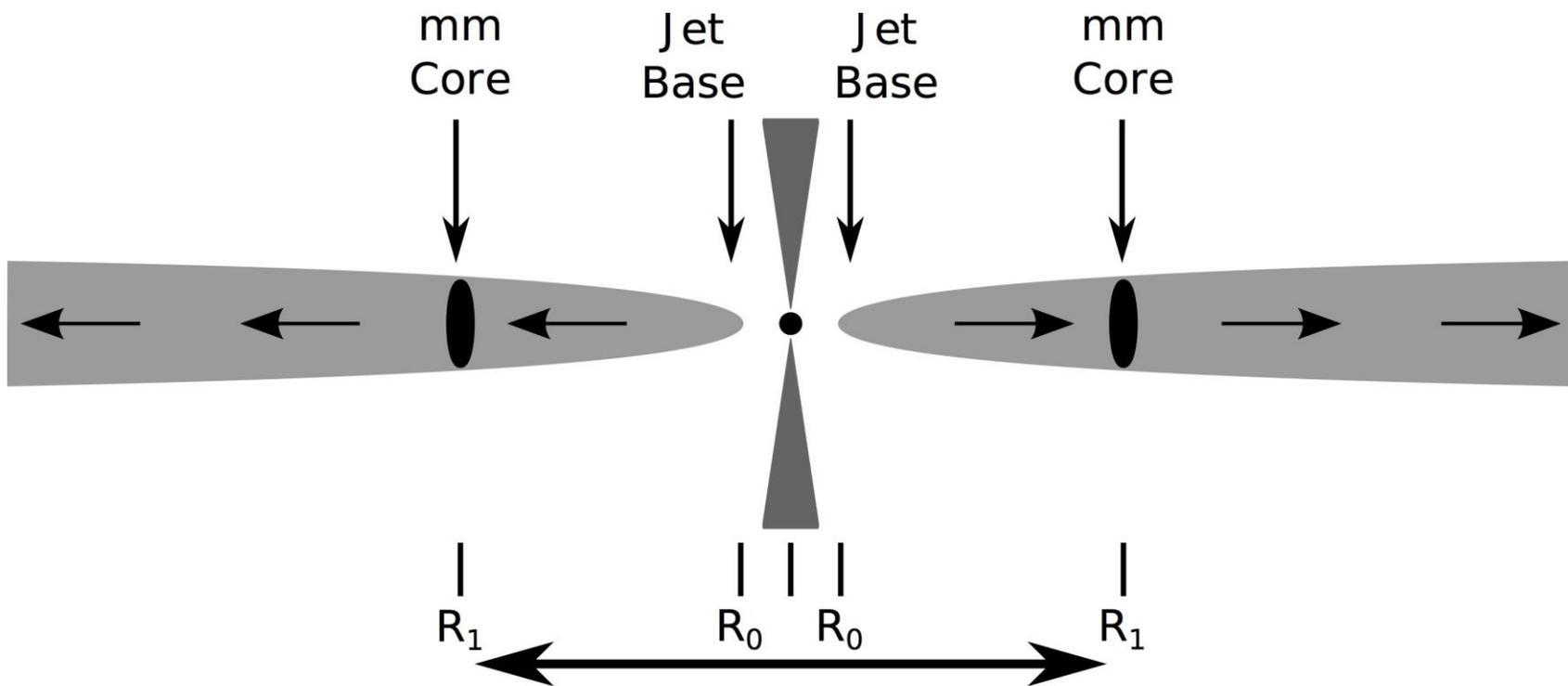


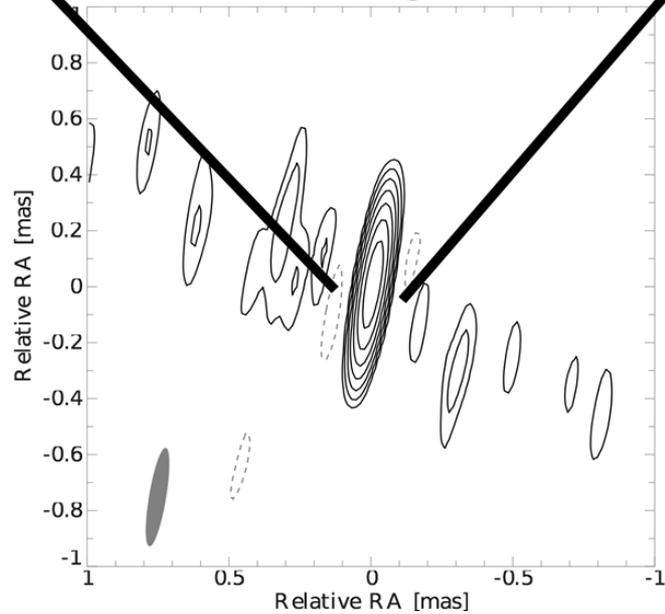
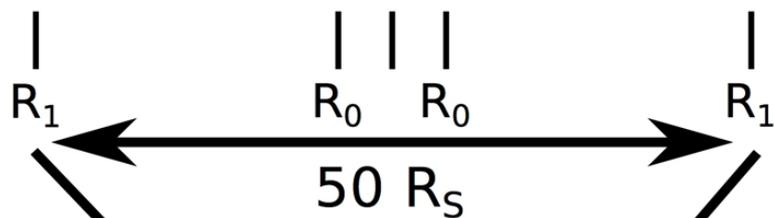
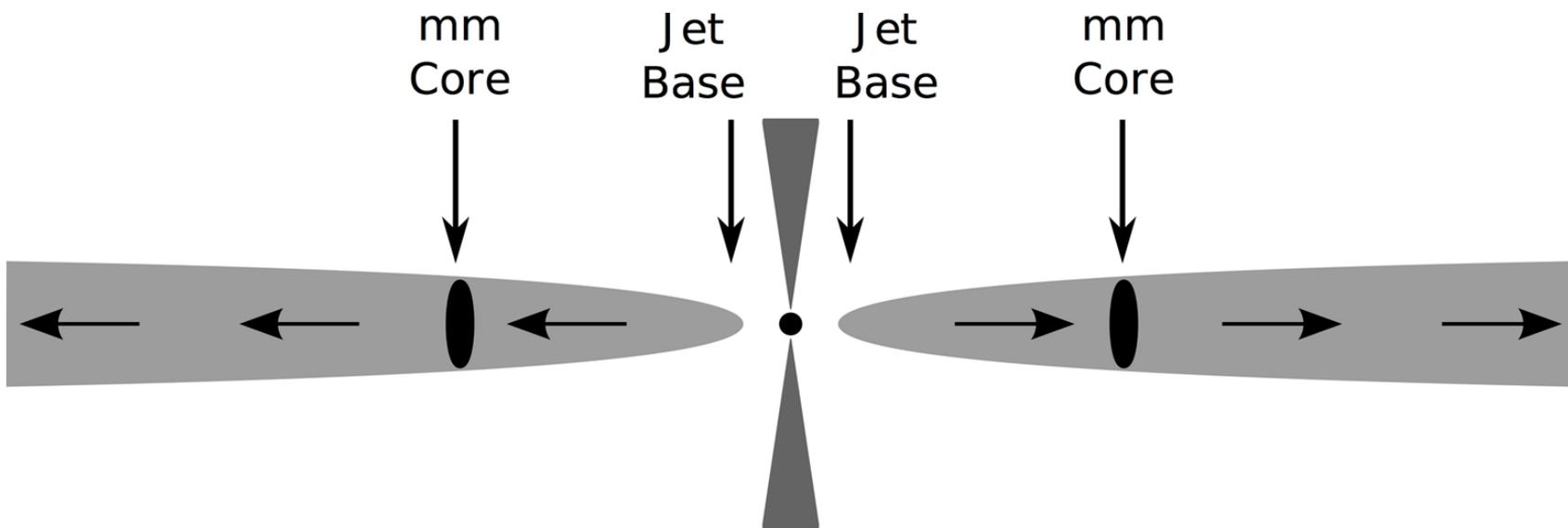
Uniform-weighting beam: (353 x 58) μ as

Image sensitivity: 1.2 mJy/beam; dynamic range: 340:1

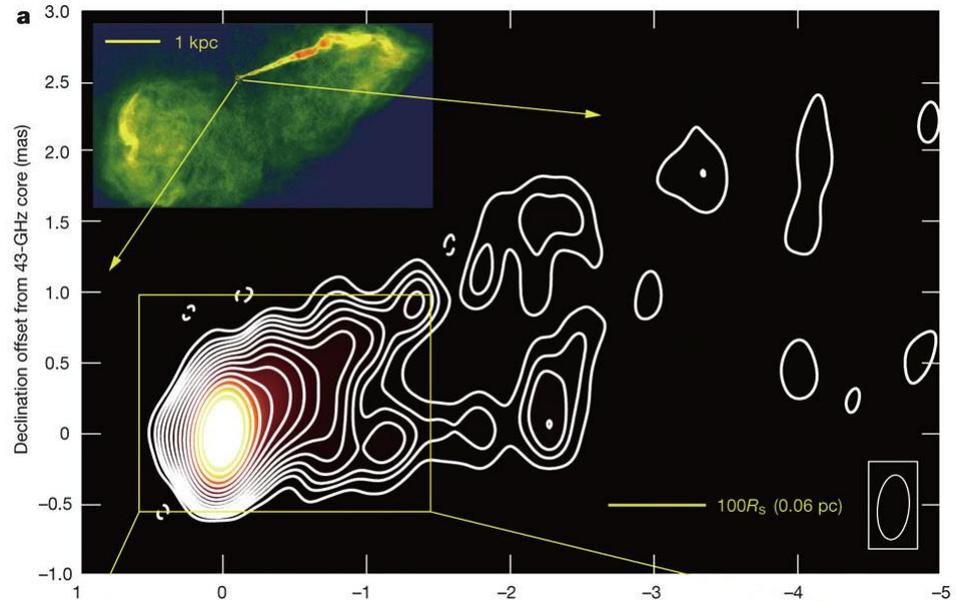
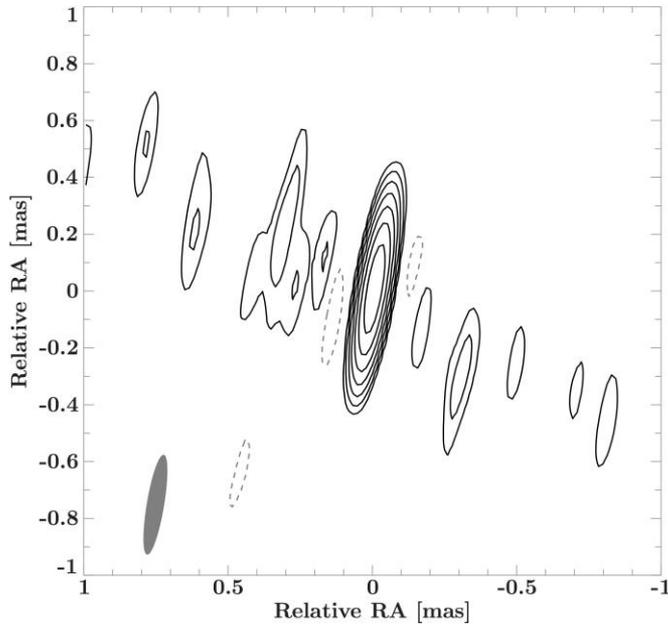


Central core: $T_B = 5 \times 10^{11} \text{K}$
Size (E-W) $< 8.6 \mu\text{as} \approx 50 R_S$





Comparison to M87



NGC1052

M87

Distance

~ 20 Mpc

~ 16.7 Mpc

BH mass

$M \sim 10^{8.2} M_{\odot}$

$M \sim 10^{9.8} M_{\odot}$ (*)

Inclination angle

close to 90°

$15 - 25^{\circ}$ (**)

(*) (Gebhardt & Thomas (2009)); (**) (Acciari et al. (2009))

Summary:

NGC1052 and (Future) mm-VLBI

- Bright core: 0.5-1 Jy
- Two jets
- Declination: -8°
- East-West oriented
- No beaming
- Probing scales $< 10R_S$ possible

